TRAINED MEN IN THE SOUTH

President Edwin A. Alderman of the University, Replies to His Critics.

CONTEXT OF WHAT HE SAID

He Gave Expression to a Deliberate and Honest Opinion Long Held.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Feb. 6.—
President Edwin A. Alderman, of the
University of Virginia, to-day gave out the following statement with reference to his recent speech delivered before the Southern Society of New York:

There has been some criticism and discussion of a speech made by me before the Southern Society in New York city December 14th last. The criticism has been based upon a few lines sent out by Associated Press, summing up a minute speech. It has occurred to me that it might be of some interest to me that it might be of some interests to know what was really said in the context. Such knowledge is usually tolerably helpful to sound criticism. I have abiding faith in the fairness of the people

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I was speaking to five hundred Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern men in New York city. I am a Southern life unsympathetically. I do, however, believe in looking at things steadily and squarely, in forming honest judgments, and in uttering them whenever and wherever they may do good. Violent, over-honest and sympathetic criticism is an unfailing and pathetic sign of supersonsitiyeness and unscientific mental attitude. My speech in the large was a plea for the more complete training of our youth for directive leadership in the great days to come. To aid in bringing about such complete training is the business of my life. The brief section of my speech appended below, which I have transcribed from my notes, contains a deliberate and honest opinion which I have long held and often expressed and will continue to hold and express again whenever I believe it worth while. I did not mean to underrate many strong and faithful service. I was not referring exclusively to political leadership, or comparing Northern and Southern leadership, I have nothing to apologize for or retract in this opinion. I can understand how in such a large matter there is room for honest difference of opinion, and criticism is perfectly legitimate and helpful. I cannot understand how se

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cessive Use of Cigarettes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LOUISA, VA., Feb. 8.—The rule against Mrs. Baxter and her counsel, James L. Shelton, of Richmond, in the Baxter-Gibson roud controversy from Jackson District, after being argued before Judge Grimsley by Judge William Sims for the defendant, and Mr. R. J., Gordon for the Commonwealth, was dismissed.

The board of supervisors have declared the road in controversy a public road, and the case will again come up at the March term of the Circuit Court of Louisa on an appeal from the decision of the board of supervisors.

Mr. Richard Wills, son of Sheriff J. Reid Wills, was visiting at Mr. G. H. Johnson's Sunday night. Feeling badly, he left, and was shortly afterwards found by his brother, who had followed him, in a helpless condition on the sidewalk. Ho went back for assistance, and with Will Bibb and Thomas Hugnes, carried young Wills to Bennett and Woolfok's drug store, where he was resuscitated The atlack is supposed to have been caused by excessive eigarette smoking.

TREATMENT OF PILES

Permanence of Cure the True Test.
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AN UGLY CHARGE AGAINST CITIZEN

Vincent W. Jefferson Arrested for Alleged Attempted Criminal Assault.

INDIGNANTLY DENIES CHARGE

Claims He Went to Market and Did Not See Girl or Molest Her, as She Claims.

offerson, the local agent here of the Oll Company, was sent on to Standard Oil Company, was sent on to the grand jury this morning from the Mayor's Court, on the charge of attempting eriminal assault on Mattle Mehaffey, the twelve-year-old daughter of Joseph B. Mehaffey, foreman at the Riverside cotton mills. Mr. Jefferson has a wife and three children. The alleged crime was committed last Saturday night, under the front porch of the tenement house on Henry Street, occupied jointly by the Mehaffey and Jefferson families. The alleged victim of the outrage was the first witness placed on the stand. The little girl is quite pretty and intelligent, telling her story in a straightforward and modest manner. She described the tenement on Henry Street, stating that her family occupied one side and the Jeffersons the other. The front porch facing the street is divided off by means of a partition and the yard by a fence.

On last Saturday night she testified that she was sent by her mother to borrow a nose spray from Mrs. Jefferson, and that in the front room there were present Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson and the colored nurse.

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The child stated that she secured the spray, and that Mr. Jefferson preceded her out of the house, but waited on the front porch! The child then told of how the accused grabbed her by the arm and led her under the house where she was too frightened to make any outery. She then gave the details of the alleged attempted assault. After the alleged assault, the sirl roturned to her home and between her sobs related the account of the insult first to her grandmother, Mrs. Mattle Hartis, and later to her father and mother.

Mrs. Alice Jefferson, the wife of the accused, testified that she was in the room when the alleged victim of the assault entered, and that she also heard her husband slam the front gate before the child left the house. Mrs. Jefferson stated that her husband wont to the market and roturned about fifteen minutes later with a fish.

After the warrant was served on Mr. Jefferson, she went to the home of the Mehaffeys and inquired what the trouble was about. Mrs. Jefferson says she was referred to the little girl, who declined of the charge made to his face. Mrs. Jefferson stated that the two families had been neighborly, but that the chilren of Mrs. Mehaffey had given her much trouble by throwing rocks at her house, killing her chickens, etc. She also testified that owing to the rude and unbecoming conduct of her neighbors' children that she had forbade them associating with her offspring.

ASIMILAR INDIGNITY.

Mrs. Jefferson alleges that George, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Mehaffey, had offered an indignity to her little aughter, similar to the charge preferred against her husband. Mrs. Jefferson stated that she had gone to the scene of trouble to examine the ground under the front porch and scene of the alleged attempted assault, but could discover no foot-prints, which she said would have

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RONDURY, VA. Feb. 6.—The remains of Mr. Charles Behern, who committed suicide The State of the Charles Behern, who committed suicide The Widow and children are staying with Mr. R. T. Southall, who kindly offered them shelter and food until the effects can be sold, when the widow and her children will return to New York, where they formerly lived.

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FOR GRAND JURY

Newport News Man Sent on Upon a Very Serious Charge.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Feb. 6.—In
the Police Court to-day, Peter Schnatz,
charged with criminally assaulting elevenyear-old Katrino Noll, was held for the
grand jury, Several witnesses gave damstate test impay against the accused, and aging testimony against the accused, and the little girl, through an interpreter, told a story which was undenied except by the prisoner himself. The child, whose mother has been dead

for several years, lived in Hungary, with her grand parents until last November, when she was sent to New York to her when she was sent to New York to her father, who lives in that city with his second wife. In January the father sent her here to be cared for by Mrs. Michael Schnatz, sister to his second wife.

The prisoner is Mrs. Schnatz's brother-in-law, and lives in the house with her. He has a wife and three children in Hungary.

NEW CONFEDERATE CAMP

Named After Gen. Paxton, Who Commanded Stonewall Brigade.

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(Bpecial to The Times-Dispatch.)

LERINGTON VA., Feb. 8.—At an onthusiastic meeting held in the courthouse
of Rockbridge a camp of the Sons of
Confederate veterans was organized, under the name of "Gamp Frank Paxton,
Sons of Confederate Veterans." Following are the officers elected: Messrs. M. W.
Paxton, commandant; J. J. L. Kinnear,
first lieutenant commander; Dr. A. D.
Estill, second lieutenant commander;
Frank Moore, adjutant; A. T. Shields,
treasurer; Rev. J. P. Smith, Jr., chaplain;
Dr. H. R. Morrison, surgeon; F. H.
Brockenbrough, quartermaster; Boyd
Hickman, color sergeant; W. G. McDowcill, historian,
The meeting was presided over by Dr.
Hunter Pendleton, of the Virginia Miltary Institute, and Mr. M. W. Paxton
served as secretary Mr. W. G. McDowcill, who was active in the circulation of
a petition for signatures, presented 197
names as applicants for membership.
The camp was named in honor of General Frank Paxton, of Lexington, who
commanded the Stonewall Brigade, and
who was killed at Chancellorsville. The
commender of the newly instituted camp,
Mi. W. Paxton, editor of the Rockbridge Gounty News, is tho son of General Frank paxton, editor of the Rockbridge Gounty News, is tho son of General Frank paxton, editor of the Rockbridge Gounty News, is tho son of General Frank pay Colonel W. T. Pongue, who
commanded the Rockbridge Battery of
the Stonewall Brigade, and by Mr. Paxton.

COLD SPLITS TREES.

Coons Fill Hollow and Breathe With Startling Results.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SCOTTSVILLE, VA., Feb. 5.—A frozen cottonwood tree on Main Street, in front of Dr. J. P. Bair's office, is split from the roots to the first limbs. This tree revives a half forgotten story of a man who went out from this place coon hunting. He, too, saw a tree which was curiously split down its trunk and seemed to expand and contract at regular intervals. This was more than his curiosity could bear, so the tree was cut down, and out sprang half a dozeh coons, whose breathing, it is sold, caused the vibrations.

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The male portion of the vibrage are deep at present in the discussion of politics, and whichever the Democratic nominee. Swanson. Willard or Mann, Albemaric will come up with her usual majority. Most are in favor of Swanson. A truck of a freight ear got off of the track here Sunday, but did no serious damage, through the intervention of Mr. T. W. Heath, save tearing the track up a sittle.

A NEGRO SUICIDE.

Killed Himself Because of Another Man's Wife.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
MEHICRRIN. VA. Feb. 6.—A negronamed Philip Stokes, from near Nutbush,
VA. took a bottle of morphine here Saturday evening and died a faw hours atterwards. He was disappointed in a love
affair over a woman who is married and
left her husband a few years ago and
is at present negotiating for a divorce.

A HOUSE DESTROYED; BABY BADLY FROZEN

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FIREDERICKSBURG, VA., Feb. 5.—The residence of Mr. Phillip Sanford, in Richmond county, was burned last week, together with furniture, etc. The family being turned out in the bitter cold during the early morning hours, the face and limbs of a baby in the family were badly frozen.

Mrs. J. F. Sandy, of Northumberland county, in the past two months has gathered 1,686 eggs from her fieck of sixty hens. The eggs were sold for \$2.70.

Mr. C. L. Dohne, of Baltimore, has purchased the oid Walach darmers. Culpage county, containing Miss Lixale Porter of the Addingting county of Rappahannock, and will make his home on his newly purchased property.

Clifton Forge Stirred.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

(LIFTON FORGE, VA., Feb. 6.—The Times-Dispatch has been read with much interest in the past few days, due to the agitated question relating to the new occomotive works contemplated by the Chestacake and Ohie Railway Company. The people of Clifton Forge, of all Disses, save been greatly stirred up over this matter. They are gratified to know that has prominent efficials of the railroad maye considered Clifton Forge as one of the three of the most eligible locations. The town is argely made up of Chesaceake and Ohie employes, and to no part of the people would the final decision in fayor of Clifton Forge be more gratifying than it would be to these.

It is understood that the clitzens will send a committee to Richmond to confer with President Stevens and General Manager Doyle.

is attending him.

John W. Adams, former commissioner of revenue, is sick at his home near Wilmington.

Mrs. R. W. Valentine, of Charlotteaville, who spent last week with Mrs. A. O. Blot, has returned home.

W. A. Sadler, of Jick Run, Va., who was called here last week by the death of his father, will remain several weeks with his brother, J. Usborne Sadler.

THE TREDEGAR FIRE.

Damage About \$30,000, Fully Covered by Insurance.

The result of the fire about 6 A. M. Sunday, which resulted in the destruc-tion of what is known as "Armory Rolling

Sunday, which resulted in the destruction of what is known as "Armory Rolling Mill M, at the Tredegar Iron Works was told briefly in the extra Times-Dispatch Sunday.

The most serious feature of the fire from the public standpoint is that it leaves unemployed for a few days at least many of the three hundred men employed in the mill. Many of these men, will be simployed in other departments until the structure can be rebuilt, which will be done with the least practicable delay. Colonel Archer Anderson, president of the company, stated yesterday that the mill would be rebuilt in a few months. The total loss, including that for use and occupancy of the burned structure until it can be replaced, is estimated at about \$30,000, which is fully covered in insurance policies carried thereon.

The fire was one fought under most disadvantageous conditions, the temperature being unusually low for this latitude, and the water from the nozzles freezing where it fell. Four steamers pumped loy water into the the roaning fiame in six good streams, some of the steamers dippling their suction pipes into the canal and others attacling to plugs.

The loss is covered by the following insurance companies:

Liverpool and London and Gloge, 25 per cent.; Home, of New York, 30 per cent.; Horter of New York, 30 per cent.; Hartford, 10 per cent.; Scottish Union and National, 10 per cent.; North British and Mercantile, 10 per cent.; North British and Mercantile, 10 per cent.; North British and Mercantile, 10 per cent.; National, of Hartford, 5 per cent.; North British and Mercantile, 10 per cent.; North Stottish Union and National, 10 per cent.; Scottish Union and Scottish Union, 5 per cent.

National, of Hartford, 5 per cent. Loss on use and occupancy insurance may reach \$5,000, fully covered as follows; Western, 28 per cent.; Westchester, 28 per cent.

Virginia Fire and Marine, 22 per cent. National, site attention to all insur-

ASK FOR PRAYER.

Convicts Are Stirred by Sermon of Mr. C. H. Gootee.

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About seven hundred men at the chapel in the penitentiary Sunday morning listoned to Mr. C. H. Gootee speak from the text John ill:18: "For God so loved the world. He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoverev believeth in Him should not perish, but have everleading life."
The speaker said that love was the strongest thing on earth, because love would do and suffer what nothing else would go. The strongest love we know the love of Christ, which passet know anything about, said he, until we know anything about, said he, until we know the love of Christ, which passet knowledge, is a mother's love. During the late war a young man from the North was wounded on one of the Southern battlefields. A message was dispatched to his mother, in her New England home, and the next train broughther South. She came to the line of battle and arrived at the hospital, and was told by the physician she could not see her son, who was lying on a cot up stairs, and to wake him would mean death. She plead with the doctor and promised that she would not open her lips. She was allowed to go to that room, and stealing softly to his bedelde, hid her warm, tender hand on her son's brow. His tips opened and he spoke the word, "mother." There was the tenderness of love in that mother's touch. But no mother's touch can compare to the touch of Jesus to the woulded, sin-sick soul.

At the close of the service about fifty

PLEADS FOR MERCY

Peter Dancey Will Ask for Commutation of Sentence.

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Application for a commutation of sentence will be made in the case of Peter Dancey, the Henrico negro who is condemned to hang for murder on March 18th.

Dancey, has through his lawyer, issued the following appeal for help:

To the Public:

For God's sake help me. I tell you the truth was a same to guilty of the charge for the public of the pub

the signs and remain, and remain, Prayerfully, PETER DANCEY,

HAD CIGARS AND CANDY. Steven Love in Third Station as a Suspicious Character.

Stephen Love, a negro, thought to be a former convict, was arrested by Police-man Krouse, of the Third Station, at man Krouse, of the Third Station, at Fourth and Canal Streets last hight, and is held as a suspicious character.

Lova will explain to Justice Crutch-field this morning and will tell His Honor how he came to have a bag filled with candy, eigars, eigarettes, and other articles, when arrested.

The police believe the man had robbed a store and was making his way to some house to deposit the goods, when caushit. In the bag were several boxes of eigar-ettes, four boxes of eigars, and three hores of candy. If the articles were taken from a store witnesses will likely be forthcoming to-day.

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